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STATE ROUTE 330 UPDATE

San Bernardino County – Due to expected snow over the coming weekend and the influx of travelers to the mountain area, Caltrans will not close State Route 330 for work until Tuesday morning, March 21st at 7:00 a.m. The route will then be closed for work weekdays, Monday through Thursday from 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and on Fridays from 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The road will remain open evenings and weekends.

The work is a continuation of emergency repairs to a rockslide located approximately five miles uphill from Highland Avenue. The remaining work will include installation of metal netting, which will cover an area that measures approximately 80 x 150 feet. Completion of the project is expected by early April 2006.

In the event of further rock fall during the work, the route is subject to lane closure with flagging or full closure to insure the safety of the workers and the motoring public. Additional information will be released as the project progresses since inclement weather may effect the repair process.

Motorists are advised to bring chains when traveling to mountain communities during snow. For updates on roadwork please go to our website at www.dot.ca.gov/dist8 and click on "Press Releases" or call (909) 383-4631 for information.

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